

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2600**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For :	MINIMIZED SKEW ANGLE SLIDER	Examiner: Allen T. Cao
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 28, 2008. The applicants respectfully request that the rejection of the pending claims be reconsidered and that the pending claims be allowed in light of the remarks herein.